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Polymerizable Monomers, Fluorine-Containing Polymers,
Dissolution Inhibitors, and Resist Compositions

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Preliminary to examination of the above-identified patent application,
kindly amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.